

## CITY OF LODI

## COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

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Denial of Verified Claim(s) Against the City of Lodi

**MEETING DATE:** 

October 5, 1999

Actual Date: 10/6/99

SUBMITTED BY:

**Human Resources Director** 

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** 

To approve by motion action, denial of the following verified claim(s)

filed against the City of Lodi:

Date of Loss

10/7/97

A) Domenic Small B) Bernice Everett

6/20/99

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** 

Following review of the verified claims filed against the City of Lodi, the Risk Manager and/or the City's Contract

Administrator, Insurance Consulting Associates, Inc. (ICA), recommend that the City deny the subject claims.

FUNDING: None required.

Respectfully submitted,

1. Narloch, Human Resources Director

cc:

City Attorney

APPROVED: H. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager

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Notice of Claim Rejection

September 22, 1999

Domenic A. Small

2233 Watt Ave #290 Sacramento CA 95825

c/o Steven E. Cohen, Esq.

RE: Claim against the City of Lodi

Claimant:

Domenic A. Small

Date of Loss:

10/7/97

Your Claim Number:

Our Claim Number:

595

Dear Claimant:

Notice is hereby given that the claim you presented to the City of Lodi on August 13, 1999, is rejected as of the date of this letter.

Warning

Subject to certain exemptions, you have only six (6) months from the date that this notice was personally delivered or deposited in the mail to file a court action on your state law claims. See Government Code §945.6. The six month time limit referred to in this notice applies only to claims or causes of action which are governed by the California Tort Claims Act which does not apply to federal causes of action. Additionally, the Tort Claims Act contains certain exemptions. You may seek the advice of an attorney of your choice in connection with this matter. If you desire to consult with an attorney, you should do so immediately.

Please also be advised that, pursuant to §128.5 and §1038 of the California Code of Civil Procedure, the City will seek to recover all costs of defense in the event an action is filed in this matter and it is determined that the action was not brought in good faith and with reasonable cause.

Sincerely,

City Clerk

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cc:

City Attorney Risk Manager Bill Benson, ICA CITY COUNCIL

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Notice of Claim Rejection

September 27, 1999

Bernice Everett

902 West Oak St Lodi CA 95240

RE:

Claim against the City of Lodi

Claimant:

Bernice Everett

Date of Loss:

6/20/99

Your Claim Number:

Our Claim Number:

608

Dear Claimant:

Notice is hereby given that the claim you presented to the City of Lodi on September 1, 1999, is rejected as of the date of this letter.

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